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**Docket: TG-041100**

Company: Rabanco, LTD (Issaquah Division), G-12

Staff: Bob Colbo, Transportation Program Staff

**Recommendation:**

Take no action on the Less than Statutory Notice (LSN) request of Rabanco, LTD, (Issaquah Division), G-12, in Docket TG-041100.

**Discussion:**

On June 17, 2004, Rabanco, LTD (Issaquah Division), G-12, filed revised tariff pages reflecting the annual change in the value of recycle commodity adjustment appearing on customer's bills. An LSN request accompanied the filing asking for the early effective date of July 1, 2004.

This filing gives effect to current commodity values over the last year, the use of the company's affiliated processing center in Seattle, and also lowers the portion of that value being passed back to customers from 100 percent to 70 percent, in accordance with the revenue sharing proscribed in RCW 81.77.185. The combined impact of all these factors will result in an increase to the current monthly debit charge to residential and multi-family recycle customers.

One of the factors bearing on the net value (debit or credit) available to regulated customers is the proper cost level of recycle processing. That matter is under investigation in another Rabanco rate case currently recommended for suspension at this Open Meeting in Docket TG-040697.

It is therefore recommended that the Commission take no action on the LSN request of Rabanco, LTD, (Issaquah Division), G-12, in Docket TG-041100.